#### AMENDED: 10/09/02-11:45 A.M.

# AGENDA STATE TRANSPORTATION BOARD MEETING

9:00 a.m., Friday, October 18, 2002 City of Apache Junction Council Chambers/Magistrate Court Building 1001 North Idaho Road Apache Junction, Arizona 85219

The Board may vote to go into Executive Session, which will not be open to the public, to discuss certain matters.

#### EXECUTIVE SESSION OF THE STATE TRANSPORTATION BOARD

Pursuant to A.R.S. 38-431.03, notice is hereby given to the members of the Arizona State Transportation Board and to the general public that the Board may meet in Executive Session for discussion or consultation for legal advice with legal counsel at its meeting on October 18, 2002, relating to any items on the agenda. The Board may, at its discretion, recess and reconvene the Executive Session as needed, relating to any items on the agenda.

### **PLEDGE**

The pledge of allegiance to the flag led by Chairman Katie Dusenberry.

### **OPENING REMARKS**

Opening remarks and recognition of dignitaries by Chairman Katie Dusenberry.

## **CALL TO AUDIENCE** (Information and Discussion)

An opportunity for citizens to discuss Items of interest with the Board. <u>Please fill</u> <u>out an information sheet</u> and turn in to the Chairman or secretary if you wish to address the Board.

## **REPORT**

Chuck Eaton will provide an update on the Freeway System.

# **CONSENT AGENDA** (Action as Required)

\*ITEM 1: Bring forward Items not to be included in the consent agenda. ("\*" indicates Items recommended by ADOT staff for further discussion).

# **<u>DIRECTOR'S REPORT</u>** (Information, discussion, Action as required)

### \*ITEM 2: Legislative Report

Staff will provide an update on Legislative Issues. (Information Only – Kevin Biesty.)

# \*ITEM 3: Financial Report

Staff will provide summary reports on revenue collections for Highway User Revenues and Maricopa Transportation Excise Tax Revenues, comparing fiscal year results to last year's actuals and forecasts, and report on interest earnings, HELP Fund status, and other financial information relative to the Board and Department. (For Information & Discussion Only – John McGee.)

## \*ITEM 4: Financing Program

Staff will provide an update on financing issues affecting the Board and the Department, including HURF and RARF Bonding, GAN Issuances and Board Funding Obligations. (For Information & Discussion Only – John McGee.)

#### \*ITEM 5: Direction to Proceed: Highway Revenue Bonds

Staff will present a Resolution Resolution directing Department Staff, Financial Advisor and Bond Counsel to take all actions necessary precedent to its planned issuance of Arizona Transportation Board Highway Revenue Bonds. (For Discussion and Possible Action – John McGee.)

### \*ITEM 6: State Transportation Board Policies – 2002

Staff will present to the Board the State Transportation Board Policies – 2002 for their approval. (For Discussion and Possible Action – Dale Buskirk.)

### ITEM 7: 2002 REMAINING BOARD MEETING DATES:

November 15, 2002 Board Meeting – Yuma 9:00 a.m. December 20, 2002 Board Meeting – Tucson 9:00 a.m.

## PRIORITY PLANNING ADVISORY COMMITTEE (PPAC)

FY 2003 - 2007 Transportation Facilities Construction Program Requested Modifications

\*ITEM 8: ROUTE NO: I-8 @ MP 0.40

COUNTY: Yuma SCHEDULE: FY 2002

SECTION: Ave 3E TI (SR 280)

TYPE OF WORK: Reconstruct Traffic Interchange

PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$9,900,000 Funding Source: NH

PROJECT MANAGER: Tamara Clarke

PROJECT: H468101C Item Number; 10004

REQUESTED ACTION: Reestablish program line item in amount of

\$9,900,000 in the FY 2003 Highway Construction Program. Project was advanced to FY 2002 from FY 2004 at the March 15, 2002 Transportation Board meeting with a HELP loan. Due to right of way issues the project was not able to advertised in

FY 2002.

NEW PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$9,900,000

\*ITEM 9: ROUTE NO: SR 10 B @ MP 17.50

COUNTY: La Paz

SCHEDULE: Underway Program
SECTION: B-10; Quartzsite
TYPE OF WORK: Acquire right of way

PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$668,000 Funding Source: State

PROJECT MANAGER: Craig Reed PROJECT: H519601R

REQUESTED ACTION: Increase program amount by \$1,000,000 to

\$1,668,000 due to higher than anticipated right of way cost. Funds available from FY 2003 Right of

Way Contingency Fund #77903.

 PROGRAM AMOUNT:
 \$668,000

 INCREASE AMOUNT:
 \$1,000,000

 NEW PROGRAM AMOUNT:
 \$1,668,000

\*ITEM 10: ROUTE NO: SR 77 @ MP 386.00

COUNTY: Navajo

SCHEDULE: New Project Request
SECTION: Junction State Route 377
TYPE OF WORK: Construct intersection lighting

PROGRAM AMOUNT: New Project Request

PROJECT MANAGER: Dave Monson PROJECT: HX11501C

REQUESTED ACTION: Add a new project to the FY 2003 Highway

Construction Progam in the amount of \$100,000 for intersection lighting. Funds available from the

FY 2003 Traffic Engineering Fund #71203.

NEW PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$100,000

\*ITEM 11: ROUTE NO: US 95 @ MP 59.00

COUNTY: Yuma SCHEDULE: FY 2003

SECTION: Castle Dome Annex Road

TYPE OF WORK: Improve intersection sight distance

PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$210,000 Funding Source: State

PROJECT MANAGER: Mike Bruder

PROJECT: H558201C Item Number; 22503

REQUESTED ACTION: Increase program amount by \$130,000 to \$340,000

due to increased pavement scope and cost updates. Funds available from FY 2003 District Minor

fund #73303.

PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$210,000 INCREASE AMOUNT: \$130,000 NEW PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$340,000

\*ITEM 12: ROUTE NO: US 95 @ MP 44.10

COUNTY: Yuma

SCHEDULE: New Project Request

SECTION: Aberdeen Road & YPG Entrance

TYPE OF WORK: Intersection Improvement PROGRAM AMOUNT: New Project Request

PROJECT MANAGER: David Harmon PROJECT: H601701C

REQUESTED ACTION: Add a new district minor project to the FY 2003

Highway Construction Porgram in amount of \$300,000. Funds available from the FY 2003

District Minor fund #73303.

NEW PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$300,000

\*ITEM 13: ROUTE NO: US 95 @ MP 98.30

COUNTY: La Paz

SCHEDULE: New Project Request
SECTION: La Paz Valley Road
TYPE OF WORK: Intersection Improvement
PROGRAM AMOUNT: New Project Request

PROJECT MANAGER: David Harmon PROJECT: H601301C

REQUESTED ACTION: Add a new district minor project to the FY 2003

Highway Construction Porgram in amount of \$200,000. **Funds available from the FY 2003** 

District Minor fund #73303.

NEW PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$200,000

\*ITEM 14: ROUTE NO: SR 191 B @ MP 0.00

COUNTY: Cochise

SCHEDULE: New Project Request

SECTION: 5th Street Drainage - East side

TYPE OF WORK: Drainage improvement
PROGRAM AMOUNT: New Project Request
PROJECT MANAGER: Lynn Sugiyama
PROJECT: H619701C

REQUESTED ACTION: Add a new program line item to the FY 2003

Highway Construction Program in the amount \$15,000 for JPA 02-057 payment with the City of Douglas. The City of Douglas is to construct drainage improvements with city forces. Funds available from the FY 2003 District Minor Fund

#73303.

NEW PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$15,000

\*ITEM 15: ROUTE NO: US 60 @ MP 182

COUNTY: Maricopa

SCHEDULE: New Project Request SECTION: Gilbert Road TI
TYPE OF WORK: Design dual left turn
PROGRAM AMOUNT: New Project Request
PROJECT MANAGER: Floyd Roehrich

PROJECT: H601501D Item Number #14404

REQUESTED ACTION: Reestablish FY 2002 project in the FY 2003

Highway Construction Program in the amount of \$216,000. Project was to have been advertised in FY 2002, and was not reprogrammed through the

reprogramming process.

See funding sources below:

FY 2002 Project Item #14404 Budget \$170,000 FY 2002 ITS Engineering Development Fund \$46,000

#70703

NEW PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$216,000

\*ITEM 16: ROUTE NO: US 60 @ MP 251.8

COUNTY: Gila SCHEDULE: FY 2004

SECTION: McMillen Wash – Jct. SR 70
TYPE OF WORK: Pavement Preservation

PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$100,000 Funding Source: State

PROJECT MANAGER: Vicki Bever

PROJECT: Item Number: 17704

REQUESTED ACTION: Combined scope of work and budget with project

US 70; Jct. US 60 – Jct SR 77, Item Number 17904 and delete this project from the FY 2004 Highway Construction Program. **Funds return to the FY** 

2004 Pavement Preservation Fund #72504.

\*ITEM 17: ROUTE NO: US 70 @ MP 251

COUNTY: Gila SCHEDULE: FY 2004

SECTION: Jct. US 60 – Jct. SR 77 TYPE OF WORK: Pavement Preservation

PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$965,000 Funding Source: STP

PROJECT MANAGER: Vicki Bever

PROJECT: Item Number: 17904

REQUESTED ACTION: Combined projects scope of work and budget with

US 60; McMillen Wash – Jct US 70 Item Number 17704, and increase program amount by \$5,705,000 to \$6,670,000. Change name of project to US 70; McMillen Wash – Jct.. SR 77. Change

scope of work to reconstruct roadway.

See funding sources below.

PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$965,000
INCREASE AMOUNT: \$5,705,000
FY 2003 Highway contingency Fund #72303 \$1,260,000
FY 2004 Pavemen Preservation Fund #72504 \$1,595,000
FY 2004 District Minor fund #73304 \$1,500,000
FY 2004 Projects of Opportunity #75004 \$1,350,000
NEW PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$6,670,000

FY 2003 - 2007 Aeronautics Development Program Requested Modifications

\*ITEM 18: PROJECT: State Transportation Board Policies Revisions

N/A

SPONSOR: State of Arizona
CATEGORY: Board Policies
SCHEDULE: FY 2003
PROJECT #: N/A

PROGRAM AMOUNT:

TYPE OF WORK: Review recommendations for revision to the

State Transportation Board's Policies

governing the Aviation Fund and distribution

of monies to various airport/projects.

REQUESTED ACTION: Approve the Recommendations presented by

the Aeronautics Division for FY 2003

\*ITEM 19: PROJECT: Flagstaff-Pulliam Airport

SPONSOR: City of Flagstaff

CATEGORY: Commercial Service Airport

SCHEDULE: FY 2003 - 2007

PROJECT #: E3F21 PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$1,098,178

TYPE OF WORK: Conduct Airport Master Plan/Part 150 Study;

Conduct Benefit/Cost Analysis & Environmental Assessment; Conduct Wildlife Hazard Management Assessment; Acquire Snow Plow; Acquire Handicap Boarding

Device

REQUESTED ACTION: Provide \$49,089 funds to match Federal Grant

AIP- 22: Total project \$1,098,178:

FUNDING SOURCES \$1,000,000

 Sponsor
 \$49,089

 State
 \$49,089

 Total Program
 \$1,098,178

\*ITEM 20: PROJECT: Williams Gateway Airport

SPONSOR: Williams Gateway Airport Authority

CATEGORY: Reliever Airport SCHEDULE: FY 2003 - 2007

PROJECT #: E3F22 PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$164,726

TYPE OF WORK: Construct/rehabilitate Taxiway "A", Phase III REQUESTED ACTION: Provide \$7,363 funds to match Federal Grant

AIP-10. Total project \$164,726:

FUNDING SOURCES FAA \$150,000

 Sponsor
 \$7,363

 State
 \$7,363

 Total Program
 \$164,726

\*ITEM 21: PROJECT: Cottonwood Airport

SPONSOR: City of Cottonwood CATEGORY: General Aviation SCHEDULE: FY 2003-2007

PROJECT #: E3F23

PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$164,726

TYPE OF WORK: Install Airport Perimeter Fencing (approx

7,000 lf) including security enhancements.

REQUESTED ACTION: Provide \$7,363 funds to match Federal Grant

AIP-08. Total project \$164,726:

FUNDING SOURCES FAA \$150,000

 Sponsor
 \$7,363

 State
 \$7,363

 Total Program
 \$164,726

\*ITEM 22: PROJECT: Page Airport

SPONSOR: City of Page

CATEGORY: Commercial Service SCHEDULE: FY 2003-2007

PROJECT #: E3F24 PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$1,098176

TYPE OF WORK: Rehabilitate Taxiway, Apron; Acquire

ARFF vehicle; Construct ARFF building;

and security enhancements.

REQUESTED ACTION: Provide \$49,088 funds to match Federal

Grant AIP-15. Total project \$1,098,176:

FUNDING SOURCES \$1,000,000

 Sponsor
 \$49,088

 State
 \$49,088

 Total Program
 \$1,098,176

\*ITEM 23: PROJECT: Kingman Airport

SPONSOR: Kingman Airport Authority

CATEGORY: Commercial Service

SCHEDULE: FY 2003-2007

PROJECT #: E3F25

PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$1,061,053

TYPE OF WORK: Improve runway safety area (runway 3/21;

security enhancements (access control)

REQUESTED ACTION: Provide \$56,301 funds to match Federal

Grant AIP-12. Total project \$1,259,529:

FUNDING SOURCES \$1,146,927

 Sponsor
 \$56,301

 State
 \$56,301

 Total Program
 \$1,061,053

\*ITEM 24: PROJECT: Scottsdale Airport

SPONSOR: City of Scottsdale

CATEGORY: Reliever

SCHEDULE: FY 2003-2007

PROJECT #: E3F26 PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$1,641,350

TYPE OF WORK:

REQUESTED ACTION: Provide \$73,368 funds to match Federal

Grant AIP-12. Total project \$1,641,350:

FUNDING SOURCES FAA \$1,494,614

 Sponsor
 \$73,368

 State
 \$73,368

 Total Program
 \$1,641,350

\*ITEM 25: PROJECT: Scottsdale Airport SPONSOR: City of Scottsdale

CATEGORY: Reliever

SCHEDULE: FY 2003-2007

PROJECT #: E1155 PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$2,617,718 TYPE OF WORK: Extend parallel taxiway; improve runway

safety area, Phase 1

REQUESTED ACTION: Add \$2,635 funds to match Federal Grant

Amendment #1 for AIP-15. Total project

\$2,617,718:

FUNDING SOURCES \$2,383,694

 Sponsor
 \$117,012

 State
 \$117,012

 Total Program
 \$2,617,718

\*ITEM 26: PROJECT: Cochise County Airport

SPONSOR: Cochise County
CATEGORY: General Aviation
SCHEDULE: FY 2003-2007

PROJECT #: E2S06 PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$54,444

TYPE OF WORK: Install additional Airport Perimeter Fencing

(approx 26,400 lf)

REQUESTED ACTION: Add \$40,000 funds to increase State

participation size from \$9,000. Total project

\$54,444:

FUNDING SOURCES FAA \$0

 Sponsor
 \$5,444

 State
 \$49,000

 Total Program
 \$54,444

\*ITEM 27: PROJECT: Springerville-Babbitt Airport

SPONSOR: City of Springerville CATEGORY: General Aviation SCHEDULE: FY 2003-2007

PROJECT #: EN871

PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$100,000

TYPE OF WORK: Install Runway lighting (PAPI).

REQUESTED ACTION: Add \$40,000 funds to increase State

participation in projects increased costs.

Total project \$100,000:

**FUNDING SOURCES** \$0 FAA

> **Sponsor** \$10,000 \$90,000 State Total Program \$100,000

\*ITEM 28: PROJECT: Scottsdale Airport

City of Scottsdale SPONSOR:

CATEGORY: Reliever

FY 2003-2007 SCHEDULE:

PROJECT #: E3S12 PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$225,000

TYPE OF WORK: Design runway safety area improvements;

design Corporate Jet's & Terminal apron; design transient aprons; design Taxiway A extension; design perimeter road, phase 2;

and, design blast fence.

Amend scope of work to realign with new REQUESTED ACTION:

project conditions. No change in State Share

of costs. Total project \$225,000:

**FUNDING SOURCES** \$0 **FAA** 

> **Sponsor** \$22,500 State \$202,500 \$225,000

Total Program

\*ITEM 29: PROJECT: Seligman Airport

Yavapai County SPONSOR: General Aviation CATEGORY: SCHEDULE: FY 2003-2007

PROJECT #: E0120 PROGRAM AMOUNT: \$1,061,053

TYPE OF WORK: Runway Construction; Access Road

Construction; Pavement Markings; Runway & Wind cone lights; Segmented Circle; Security Fence; Land Acquisition &

**Facilities Building** 

REQUESTED ACTION: Amend scope of work to add land

acquisition. No change in State Share of

costs. Total project \$1,061,053:

FUNDING SOURCES FAA \$0

 Sponsor
 \$53,053

 State
 \$1,008,000

 Total Program
 \$1,061,053

*Total Program* \$1,061,053

\*ITEM 29A: Commercial Air Service to Rural Communities

The issue of maintaining commercial air service to Arizona's rural communities has been an ongoing concern. (For Discussion and Possible Action – Gary Adams.)

ITEM 30: Priority Planning Advisory Committee (PPAC)

• Minutes – September 5, 2002

• Highway Program Monitoring Report.

ITEM 31: Priority Planning Advisory Committee (PPAC) Meeting Schedule

Transportation Board Room

206 S. 17th Ave Phoenix, AZ 85007 (Times will be announced) • October 31, 2002

• December 5, 2002

#### **RIGHT OF WAY RESOLUTIONS** (Action as Noted)

**ITEM 32:** RES. NO: 2002-10-A-049

PROJECT: N-801-601 / 999SW000H088801R HIGHWAY: TUCSON URBANIZED AREA

SECTION: Various

ROUTE NO.: Interstate Business Route 19, Former U.S.

Route 89, and State Route 86

ENG. DIST: T
COUNTY: Pima

RECOMMENDATION: Disposal by Abandonment to the City of Tucson

**ITEM 33:** RES. NO: 2002-10-A-050

PROJECT: 600-7-804 / 202LMA000H538201R

600-7-805 / 202LMA000H538301R

HIGHWAY: SANTAN FREEWAY

SECTION: Gilbert Road – Higley Road

Higley Road - Warner Road

ROUTE NO.: State Route 202 Loop

ENG. DIST:

COUNTY: Maricopa

RECOMMENDATION: Establish portions of the Corridor as a

controlled access state highway

**ITEM 34:** RES. NO: 2002-10-A-051

PROJECT: U 180-A-800/180CN215H410901R

HIGHWAY: FLAGSTAFF - VALLE

SECTION: Fine Ave. – Navajo Rd., Flagstaff

ROUTE NO.: U.S. Route 180

ENG. DIST: F

COUNTY: Coconino

RECOMMENDATION: Establish additional right of way for

widening improvements

**ITEM 35:** RES. NO: 2002-10-A-052

PROJECT: I-10-6 (52) / 010CH306H088801R

HIGHWAY: BENSON – STEINS PASS

SECTION: Benson Interstate Freeway Unit II

ROUTE NO.: Interstate Route 10

ENG. DIST: S

COUNTY: Cochise

RECOMMENDATION: Disposal by Abandonment to the City of

Benson

**ITEM 36:** RES. NO: 2002-10-A-054

PROJECT: S-315-705 / 286PM023H377001R HIGHWAY: SASABE – ROBLES RANCH

SECTION: Hibbs Ranch Road – Elk Horn Ranch Road

ROUTE NO.: State Route 286

ENG. DIST:

COUNTY: Pima

RECOMMENDATION: Disposal by Extinguishment and

Relinquishment to the United States of America, Department of Interior (U.S.

Fish & Wildlife Service)

#### **STATE ENGINEER'S REPORT (Information Only)**

**ITEM 37:** Report on Construction and projects completed in September, 2002.

**ITEM 38:** Right of Way Acquisition Report for September, 2002.

**CONSTRUCTION CONTRACTS** (Action As Noted)

Interstate, Non-Federal Aid

ITEM 39: BIDS OPENED: October 3

HIGHWAY: FLAGSTAFF-HOLBROOK HIGHWAY

SECTION: Milepost 195.0 – 202.0 SECTION: Milepost 202.1 – 203.8

COUNTY: Coconino ROUTE NO: I-40

PROJECT: I-040-D-507 040 CN 195 H620401C PROJECT: I-040-D-508 040 CN 202 H622701C FUNDING: 100% State

LOW BIDDER: C & E Paving & Grading L.L.C.

AMOUNT: \$ 573,600.00 STATE ESTIMATE: \$ 637,340.00 \$ UNDER: \$ 63,740.00 % UNDER: 10% NO. BIDDERS: 5

RECOMMENDATION: AWARD

Interstate Federal Aid (projects do not need FHWA concurrence, but must comply with DBE regulations)

ITEM 40: BIDS OPENED: September 19

HIGHWAY: EHRENBERG-PHOENIX HIGHWAY (I-10)

SECTION: I-10/Litchfield Road TI

COUNTY: Maricopa ROUTE NO: I-10

PROJECT: STP-010-B(004)A 010 MA 128 H531901C FUNDING: 76% Federal 5% State 19% City of Goodyear

 LOW BIDDER:
 Bison Contracting Co., Inc.

 AMOUNT:
 \$ 693,746.80

 STATE ESTIMATE:
 \$ 659,193.50

 \$ OVER:
 \$ 34,553.30

 %OVER:
 5.2%

 NO. BIDDERS:
 10

RECOMMENDATION: AWARD

ITEM 41: BIDS OPENED: October 3

HIGHWAY: EHRENBERG-PHOENIX HIGHWAY SECTION: I-10, 91<sup>st</sup> Avenue to 27<sup>th</sup> Avenue

COUNTY: Maricopa ROUTE NO: I-10

PROJECT: ACIM-STP-010-B(003)B 010 MA 135 H591001C

FUNDING: 94% Federal 6% State FNF Construction, Inc. LOW BIDDER: AMOUNT: \$ 12,293,333.25 \$ STATE ESTIMATE: 11,910,648.85 \$ OVER: 382,684.40 % OVER: 3.2% NO. BIDDERS: 2

RECOMMENDATION: AWARD

ITEM 42: BIDS OPENED: September 27

HIGHWAY: TOPOCK-KINGMAN HIGHWAY (I-40)
SECTION: Beverly Avenue (Stockton-Harrison)
SECTION: Mohave Wash Rechannelization

COUNTY: Mohave ROUTE NO: I-40

PROJECT: TEA-040-A(008)A 040 MO 051 H561201C

FUNDING: 19% Federal 81% State

PROJECT: I-040-A-505 040 MO 052 H564801C

FUNDING: 100% State

LOW BIDDER: Combs Construction Company, Inc.

AMOUNT: \$ 2,073,708.16 STATE ESTIMATE: \$ 2,104,048.21 \$ UNDER: \$ 30,340.05 % UNDER: 1.4% NO. BIDDERS: 4

RECOMMENDATION: AWARD

\*ITEM 43: BIDS OPENED: September 27, 2002

HIGHWAY: TUCSON-CASA GRANDE HIGHWAY

SECTION: Speedway-Congress SECTION: Congress Street

COUNTY: Pima ROUTE NO: I-10

PROJECT: NH-10-4(148)A 10 PM 257 H313502C PROJECT: TEA-10-4(155)A 10 PM 258 H429201C

FUNDING: 94% Federal 6% State

LOW BIDDER: Southwest Enviroscapes, Inc.

AMOUNT: \$ 687,481.00

STATE ESTIMATE: \$ 769,788.50

\$ UNDER: \$ 82,307.50

WUNDER: 10.7%

NO. BIDDERS: 6

RECOMMENDATION:

#### **COMMENTS:**

At the bid opening, Southwest Enviroscapes, Inc. was read as the apparent low bidder with a bid of \$687,481.00. The second low bidder, M. Anderson Construction, Corp., bid \$835,796.00. On September 30, 2002, the Department received a protest of prospective award from M. Anderson Construction, Corp. The protest states in part, "We believe that in order to place a bid for this project, a bidder must posses an

A – General Engineering license."

On September 30, 2002, the Department requested that the Registrar of Contractors review the project documents and provide an opinion concerning the classification of license required to perform this work. At the time of publication of this agenda, the opinion from the Registrar of Contractors had not been received.

This is a Federal-aid funded project. On Federal-aid funded projects, the bidder is not required to have the proper license at the time of bidding, but it must procure the proper license before award can be made, and no later than 60 calendar days after the date bids were opened.

Staff recommends award of the contract to Southwest Enviroscapes, Inc. contingent upon a determination from the Registrar of Contractors that Southwest Enviroscapes, Inc. has the appropriate license on or before November 26, 2002. If the Registrar of

Contractors determines that Southwest Enviroscapes, Inc. does not have the appropriate license on or before November 26, 2002, then the contract will be brought before the Board for disposition at its next meeting.

ITEM 44: BIDS OPENED: September 27

HIGHWAY: PHOENIX-CASA GRANDE HIGHWAY (I-10)

SECTION: I-10 / Riggs Road TI

COUNTY: Maricopa ROUTE NO: I-10

PROJECT: HES-STP-010-C(005)A 010 MA 167 H568201C

FUNDING: 94% Federal 6% State

LOW BIDDER: Archon, Inc.

AMOUNT: \$ 711,000.00 STATE ESTIMATE: \$ 809,153.70 \$ UNDER: \$ 98,153.70 % UNDER: 12.1% NO. BIDDERS: 10

RECOMMENDATION: AWARD

(Non-Interstate Federal-Aid "A" "B" projects do not need FHWA concurrence, but must comply with DBE regulations; other projects are subject to FHWA and/or local government concurrence and compliance with DBE regulations)

\*ITEM 45: BIDS OPENED: September 19

HIGHWAY: QUARTZSITE-WICKENBURG HIGHWAY

(US 60)

SECTION: Los Altos Drive – Jefferson Street

COUNTY: Maricopa ROUTE NO: US 60

PROJECT: TEA-060-A(003)A 060 MA 109 H569001C

FUNDING: 94% Federal 6% State

LOW BIDDER: Down to Earth Contracting Inc. AMOUNT: \$ 448,866.73

STATE ESTIMATE: \$ 577,369.75 \$ UNDER: \$ 128,503.02 % UNDER: 22.3% NO. BIDDERS: 7

RECOMMENDATION: AWARD

ITEM 46: BIDS OPENED: September 19

HIGHWAY: BENSON-DOUGLAS HIGHWAY (SR 80)

SECTION: St. David - Clifford Wash

COUNTY: Cochise ROUTE NO: SR 80

PROJECT: STP-080-A(005)A 080 CH 302 H453501C

FUNDING: 94% Federal 6% State

 LOW BIDDER:
 Granite Construction Company

 AMOUNT:
 \$ 2,180,180.00

 STATE ESTIMATE:
 \$ 2,190,200.00

 \$ UNDER:
 \$ 10,020.00

 % UNDER:
 0.5%

 NO. BIDDERS:
 6

RECOMMENDATION: AWARD

(Non-Interstate Federal-Aid required FHWA Concurrence and compliance with DBE regulations)

ITEM 47: BIDS OPENED: September 27

HIGHWAY: GILA BEND – BUCKEYE HIGHWAY (SR 85)

SECTION: Lewis Prison TI

COUNTY: Maricopa ROUTE NO: SR 85

PROJECT: STP-085-B(005)N 085 MA 137 H595502C

FUNDING: 94% Federal 6% State LOW BIDDER: FNF Construction, Inc. AMOUNT: \$ 10,278,488.83 \$ STATE ESTIMATE: 9,866,800.00 \$ OVER: 411,688.83 % OVER: 4.2% NO. BIDDERS: 7

RECOMMENDATION: AWARD

Non-Interstate, Non-Federal Aid

\*ITEM 48: BIDS OPENED: September 19

HIGHWAY: STATE PARKS ROADS

SECTION: Catalina State Park

COUNTY: Pima ROUTE NO: SR 77

PROJECT: N-900-0-553 077 PM ASP H503501C

FUNDING: 100% State

LOW BIDDER: Southern Arizona Paving & Construction, Co.

AMOUNT: \$ 939,956.90 STATE ESTIMATE: \$ 1,120,383.00 \$ UNDER: \$ 180,426.10 %UNDER: 16.1% NO. BIDDERS: 9

RECOMMENDATION: AWARD

ITEM 49: BIDS OPENED: September 27

HIGHWAY: AGUA FRIA FREEWAY (LOOP 101)

SECTION: 75<sup>th</sup> to 51<sup>st</sup> Avenue

COUNTY: Maricopa ROUTE NO: 101L

PROJECT: S-101-A-503 101L MA 017 H603501C

FUNDING: 100% State

LOW BIDDER: M A C Contracting Inc.

AMOUNT: \$ 690,123.60

STATE ESTIMATE: \$ 721,913.00

\$ UNDER: \$ 31,789.40

WUNDER: 4.4%

NO. BIDDERS: 8

RECOMMENDATION: AWARD

\*ITEM 50: CONSENT AGENDA (Approval)

Consideration of all items included in the consent agenda.

### **ADJOURN**